

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicant(s) : Horn et al.  
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Title : FLUORIMETRIC DETERMINATION OF ANALYTES BY AN  
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CONJUGATE  
Docket No. : WP 21395 US  
Examiner : Gitomer, Ralph J.  
Art Unit : 1657  
Confirm. No. : 3170

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed 20 November 2006. A request for three-month extension of time is enclosed herewith, together with the requisite fee, making the response due 20 May 2007. Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, beginning on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Claims; and
- Remarks.